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## **\*PRESS RELEASE\***

### **Inmate Death – Ronald McCollum**

SMYRNA, DE-- An inmate at the Delaware Correctional Center (DCC) in Smyrna has died. 59-year-old Ronald McCollum, (DOB 12/10/1948) was pronounced dead today at 8:01 a.m. March 19, 2007 at Kent General Hospital in Dover following a lengthy illness.

McCollum, of Wilmington, DE, was serving Life with possibility for parole for Rape, Kidnapping, Robbery, Conspiracy (2 counts). His sentence effective date was 11/06/1975.

McCollum's body has been released to the State Medical Examiner's Office as is standard procedure. No foul play is suspected.

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